



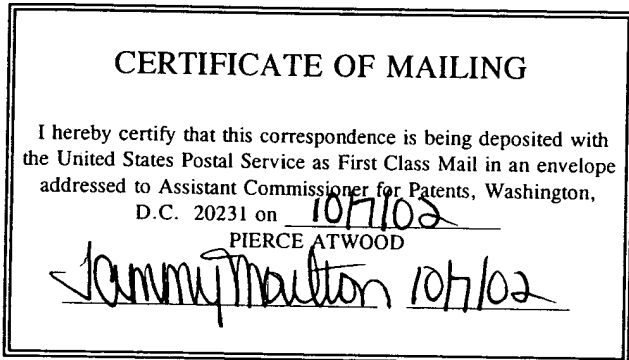
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Application No.: 09/856,105  
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.48(b)

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Please amend the subject patent application by deleting Marc Sinatra as a named inventor. Although the correct inventive entity was named at the time of filing, prosecution of this non-provisional application has resulted in the cancellation of those claims directed to subject matter to which Marc Sinatra made an inventive contribution (see Preliminary Amendment filed

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concurrently herewith). Thus, this Amendment is being filed pursuant to the requirements of 37 CFR 1.48(b) which states, in pertinent part:

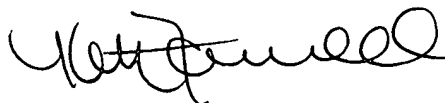
... an amendment must be filed requesting deletion of the name or names of the person or persons who are not inventors of the invention being claimed.

A check in the amount specified by 37 CFR 1.17(i) is attached. The Patent Office is authorized to charge any additional fees deemed necessary to effect the entry of this Amendment to Deposit Account No. 06-0130.

Summary

In light of the above amendment, consideration of the subject patent application is respectfully requested. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-0130.

Respectfully submitted,



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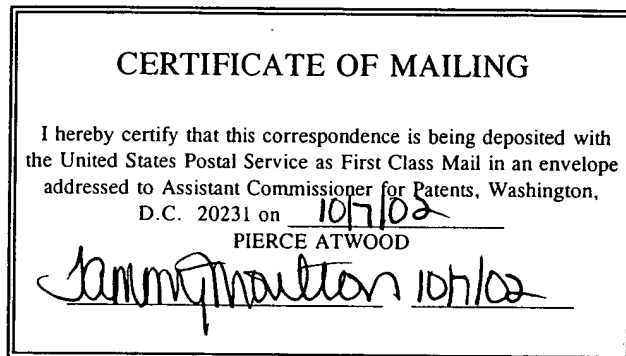
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Preliminarily, please amend the subject patent application  
as described below.

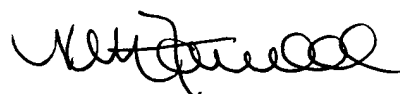
In the Claims:

Cancel Claims 27-39.

REMARKS

In light of the above amendment, consideration of the subject patent application is respectfully requested. Please charge any deficiency or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0130.

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